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Transmitted herewith for filing is the Utility patent application of:

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FOR:	ELEMENTARY AND COMPLEX COUPLING DEVICES, AND THEIR USE

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 21 pages of Specification, Claims and Abstract
- ☒ 7 sheet(s) of formal drawings
- ☐ Declaration & Power of Attorney
- ☒ Claim of Priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119
- ☐ Certified copy of
- ☐ An assignment conveying title in instant application to **THALES**, with PTO Form 1595.
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement, PTO-1449 and Reference(s)
- ☐ Change of Address
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard

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